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For: DRIVE DEVICES AND )  
METHOD FOR DRIVING )  
A PROCESSING MACHINE )

**FIFTH SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(c)(1), the material listed on the enclosed PTO/SB/08a form is brought to the attention of the Examiner. A copy of the cited document is enclosed.

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JP 2000-512480 is accompanied by an English language abstract which was obtained from a commercial database.

Entry of this material into the file of the subject U.S. patent application, and its consideration by the Examiner, is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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